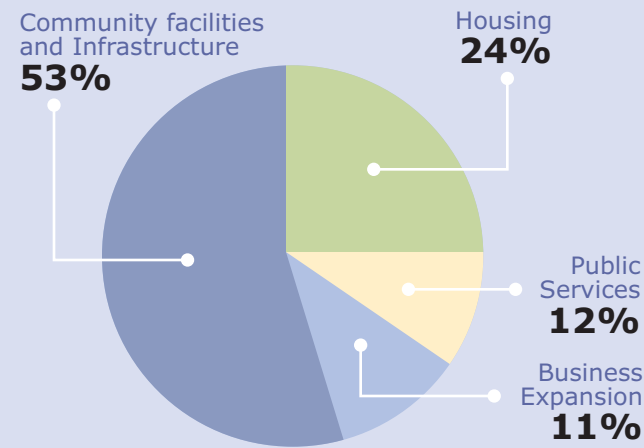




In 2004, CDBG assistance has been vital in providing human services to more than 39,000 people of all ages in San Bernardino County through 92 community based programs. These services range from crisis pregnancy counseling, to mother-infant care, cultural education for children, after school programs, gang and substance abuse intervention services, immigration services, family crisis intervention, domestic violence shelter, homeless shelter services to meals for homebound disabled and senior citizens.

For more information, call (909) 388-0950 for our CDBG application procedures.



### CDBG FACTS

30 years, more than \$278 million received and 2,100 projects funded

- 98 Senior center projects
- 165 Neighborhood facility projects
- 49 Fire station projects
- 121 Businesses assisted
- 110 Public services annually
- \$19.9M for Street improvements
- \$9.4M for water and sewer
- \$12.6M for parks / recreation
- 13,710+ Housing units rehabilitated
- 9,144 Jobs created / retained

In San Bernardino County, CDBG is used to leverage local and private financing to assist in revitalization of neighborhoods. The per capita income is significantly below the national level and as a result, efforts need to take place to generate local financing for the necessary improvements to declining neighborhoods and communities.

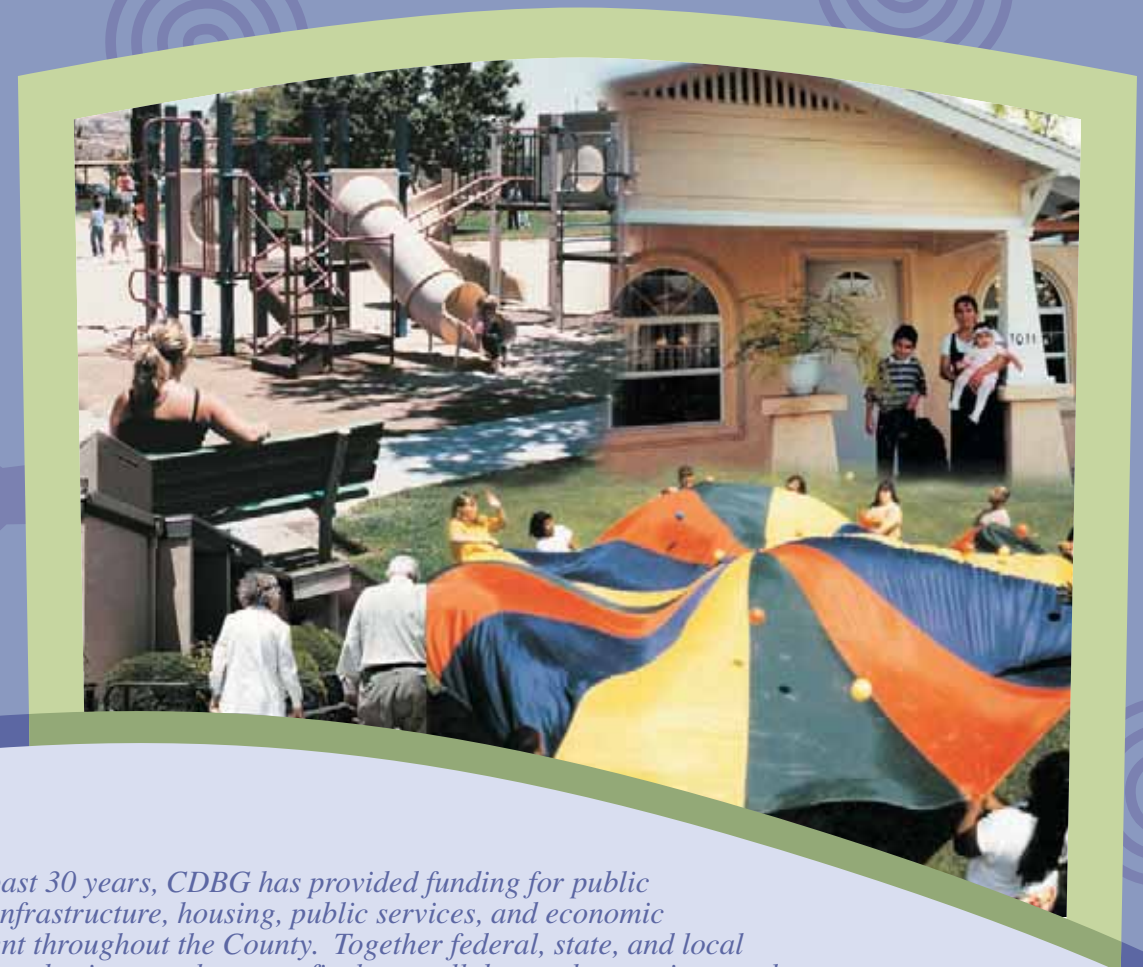


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# County of San Bernardino CELEBRATING 30 YEARS of CDBG



*"For the past 30 years, CDBG has provided funding for public facilities, infrastructure, housing, public services, and economic development throughout the County. Together federal, state, and local governments, business and non-profits have collaborated on projects and programs that have improved communities and lives."*

– **Bill Postmus**, Chairman, San Bernardino County Board of Supervisors

*"The development of viable urban communities, by providing decent housing and a suitable living environment and expanding economic opportunities, principally for persons of low and moderate income."*

— CDBG Primary Objective

**County of San Bernardino Department of Community Development and Housing**



# COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO CDBG ASSISTING THE COMMUNITY FOR 30 YEARS

NEIGHBORHOOD IMPROVEMENTS | YOUTH RECREATION FACILITIES | PLAYGROUNDS  
BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT & EXPANSION | SENIOR CENTERS, SERVICES AND ASSISTANCE  
HOUSING REPAIR & REHABILITATION | FIRE STATIONS | JOBS & BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

Each year since 1975, the County of San Bernardino has qualified to receive federal Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), for its unincorporated communities and its CDBG Consortium cities. Currently thirteen cities participate in the County's CDBG Consortium. These cities are Adelanto, Barstow, Big Bear Lake, Colton, Grand Terrace, Highland, Loma Linda, Montclair, Needles, Redlands, Twentynine Palms, Yucaipa, and the Town of Yucca Valley. The area covered by the County's CDBG Consortium represents over 605,000 persons, 36% of the total County population.

CDBG funding available for the remainder of the County's population is provided by HUD directly to the County's eleven other cities. These cities are Chino, Chino Hills, Fontana, Hesperia, Ontario, Rancho Cucamonga, Rialto, San Bernardino, Upland, Victorville and the Town of Apple Valley. CDBG funding from HUD has been a valuable resource for these cities and the County CDBG Consortium, at a current combined total of over \$25 million annually for housing and community development projects.

Last year, in San Bernardino County unincorporated communities and cooperating cities, CDBG assisted with improvements to 43 community facilities including parks and recreation, youth, senior citizens and disabled persons community centers, fire stations and libraries.



CDBG has been an important source of funding needed in the County of San Bernardino assisting low-and moderate income homeowners in making their homes more livable and further improve the quality of housing in the community. Last year, more than 270 homes were repaired at no cost to our senior homeowners. Further, CDBG has permitted the County to make below market financing for 60 homes in need of rehabilitation.

For more information, call (909) 388-0925 for senior repair grant program at (909) 388-0910 for the single family home improvement program.



In 2004, CDBG has created in excess of 90,000 jobs for lower income persons. Since 1975, 9,144 jobs have been retained or created in the County of San Bernardino. These jobs have come from the expansion of existing businesses and the recruitment of new businesses into the county of San Bernardino. This infusion of development capital has had a multiplying effect on local economic output and further job creation.

For more information, call (909) 388-0800 for our business loan program.



CDBG enabled the county to construct fourteen infrastructure improvement projects in our low-and moderate income neighborhoods. Without CDBG, these improvements would not have occurred and our neighborhoods would have experienced further decline.

For more information, call (909) 388-0950 for our CDBG capital improvement application program.